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## Grant Workshops Scheduled for On-Line Grant Applications for Fiscal Year 2010-2011

The Alexandria Commission for the Arts will conduct two grant workshops, one on Monday, September 14 and another on Wednesday, October 7 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Dr. Oswald D. Durant Center, 1605 Cameron St. The workshops will provide information about the Commission's annual grant program, which provides funding to non-profit arts organizations for various arts programs, and instructions for the on-line grant application process. All applicants, including past grant recipients, are strongly encouraged to attend one of the grant workshops.

The goals of the Commission's grant program are to encourage artistic excellence in the City; assist Alexandria-based arts organizations in improving their financial, administrative, and management capabilities; and provide individual artists with opportunities to create, perform, and present their works.

The Guide to Funding for Fiscal Year 2010-2011 and application forms for all grant programs will be available alexandriacommissionforthearts.org in early September. Completed on-line grant applications must be submitted by Friday, November 20, 2009 by midnight. In addition, one hard copy of the application should be received by 8 a.m. Monday, November 23, 2009 at the Dr. Oswald Durant Memorial Center, 1605 Cameron Street, Alexandria, VA 22314.

The Alexandria Commission for the Arts is celebrating its 25th anniversary. The Commission and the Office of the Arts, a division of the Department of Recreation, Parks & Cultural Activities, work together to promote and cultivate the arts in the City of Alexandria. For more information, visit their web sites at alexandriacommissionorthearts.org and alexandriava.gov/arts.